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OFFICE OF PETITIONS  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Yafuso et al.

Serial No.: 09/881,410

Filed: June 14, 2001

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) For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
) PROVIDING A PRIVATE  
) COMMUNICATION SYSTEM IN  
) A PUBLIC SWITCHED  
) TELEPHONE NETWORK  
)  
) Group Art Unit: 2666

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Primary Examiner

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